



CITY OF LODI COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

AGENDA TITLE: Adopt Resolution Authorizing Advertisement for Bids for the Purchase of Electrical Controller Panels for Two Wells and Authorizing the City Manager to Execute the Purchase Agreement for the Equipment (\$62,000)

MEETING DATE: November 1, 2006

PREPARED BY: Public Works Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Adopt resolution authorizing advertisement for bids for the purchase of electrical controller panels for Water Wells 27 and 28 and authorizing the City Manager to execute the purchase agreement for the equipment.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The control panels are required to equip Well 27, currently under construction at DeBenedetti Park, and Well 28 located at 2800 West Kettleman Lane which was constructed in 2005. It is recommended by staff that both panels be manufactured by Square D Company. The City Council approved standardization of low voltage electrical panels manufactured by Square D Company at its regular meeting on August 18, 1982. Competitive bids from multiple suppliers of this proprietary equipment will be solicited.

Estimated delivery time is 80 days for the panels. Purchasing the panels in advance of awarding the well site improvements will enable the wells to be on-line in early summer of 2007. The panels will be installed by the site improvement contractor. Both wells are required to maintain the service standard of 30 percent redundant well supplies.

FISCAL IMPACT: The panels are expected to have a service life equal to or exceeding the life of the water wells.

FUNDING AVAILABLE: The funds for the control panels will be coming from the Water Impact Fees Program. IMF Project Nos.: MWWI003 and MWWI005.

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RESOLUTION NO. 2006-191

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS FOR THE PURCHASE OF
ELECTRICAL CONTROLLER PANELS FOR TWO WELLS; AND
FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO AWARD THE
BID AND TO EXECUTE THE PURCHASE AGREEMENT FOR THE
EQUIPMENT IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$62,000

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WHEREAS, control panels are required to equip Well 27, currently under construction at DeBenedetti Park, and Well 28 located at 2800 West Kettleman Lane; and

WHEREAS, the City Council approved the standardization of low-voltage electrical panels manufactured by Square D Company at its meeting on August 18, 1982; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends that the panels be manufactured by Square D Company, following the solicitation of competitive bids from multiple suppliers of this proprietary equipment; and

WHEREAS, purchasing the panels in advance of awarding the well site improvements will enable the wells to be on-line in early summer 2007.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council does hereby authorize advertisement for bids for the purchase of electrical controller panels for Water Wells 27 and 28; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to award the bid and execute the purchase agreement for the equipment in an amount not to exceed \$62,000.

Dated: November 1, 2006

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2006-191 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held November 1, 2006, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Beckman, Hansen, Johnson, Mounce, and
Mayor Hitchcock

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None



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City Clerk